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SUBJECT: AMERICANS IN ANGOLA

1. THE DEPARTMENT RECEIVED REQUESTS FROM TWO MISSION-ARY GROUPS IN THE U. S. ASKING THE ASSISTANCE OF THE CONSULATE GENERAL IN PASSING THE FOLLOWING MESSAGES.

A) THE SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS NOW REPORT THAT A BRAZILIAN CITIZEN, MARENUS V. DE PAULA, MARRIED TO AN AMERICAN WHO IS IN THE U. S., HAS BEEN LEFT BEHIND AT THE LONGONJO MISSION. HE WAS TO HAVE LEFT WITH THE PARSONS. THE SDA REQUEST THAT YOU TRY TO CONTACT HIM AND ASCERTAIN HIS WELFARE AND PLANS ON DEPARTING;

B) MRS. LAWRENCE HENDERSON OF THE UNITED CHURCH BOARD OF MISSIONARIES REQUESTS THAT THE CONSULATE GENERAL ATTEMPT TO CONTACT HELDA MACHADO, AN AMCIT LIVING IN LOBITO. MACHADO WROTE MRS. HENDERSON AND SAID SHE WAS SCHEDULED TO DEPART ANGOLA IN LATE AUGUST OR EARLY SEPTEMBER VIA SHIP FROM LOBITO TO LISBON. MRS. HENDERSON HAS AGREED

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TO HELP MRS. MACHADO WITH HER BOY, WHO IS A U.S. CITIZEN,

AND WANTS MRS. MACHADO TO CONTACT HER (527 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, APT. 12B, NEW YORK, 212-666-1363) AS SOON AS SHE REACHES LISBON.

2. WE INFORMED BOTH CALLERS THAT NORTH-SOUTH COMMUNICATION IN ANGOLA IS MOST DIFFICULT AND THAT WE CANNOT ENSURE THAT THESE MESSAGES WILL REACH THE INTENDED RECIPIENTS.

3. WE HAVE CONTINUED CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN THE WELFARE OF JUNE WILLIAMS, A MISSIONARY WITH THE AFRICAN EVANGELICAL FELLOWSHIP AT CAVANGO. WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY ADDITIONAL UPDATE YOU COULD PROVIDE ON HER HEALTH AND PLANS.

4. THE SDA REPORT THAT THEY SPOKE WITH THE PARSONS WHO ARE NOW RUNNING A HOSPITAL IN A PORTUGUESE REFUGEE CAMP IN NAMIBIA. THE PARSONS REPORT THAT THE "ANGOLANS" (NO FURTHER IDENTIFICATION WAS PROVIDED) HAVE JUST CLOSED THE FRONTIER BETWEEN ANGOLA AND NAMIBIA AND NO MORE REFUGEES ARE BEING ALLOWED TO CROSS. FOR A FEW DAYS PREVIOUS TO THE CLOSING, WHITE PORTUGUESE WERE BEING ALLOWED ACROSS BUT ONLY AFTER LEAVING ALL THEIR PERSONAL EFFECTS IN ANGOLA. INGERSOLL

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